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DECK LOG–TITLE PAGE
NAVPERS 3100/1 (1-66) (Formerly NAVPERS 716)

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DECK
LOG BOOK

OF THE

U.S.S. ABILITY

MSO 519
IDENTIFICATION NUMBER

Attached to MINDIV 85 Division,
MINRON 8 Squadron,
_____ Flotilla,
SIXTH Fleet,
_____ Naval District,

Commencing -1A ØØØØ 1 SEPT, 1968,
(zone time and date)
at PALMA, SPAIN,
(location)
and ending -2B 2400 3Ø SEPT, 1968,
(zone time and date)
at KITHIRA, GREECE ANCHORAGE
(location)

Approved by: J. Lancaster Commanding
J. LANCASTER, LT, USN

22 OCT 1968

TO BE FORWARDED DIRECT TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS Ability (MSO-558) ZONE DESCRIPTION -1A DATE Sunday (Day) 1 (Date) Sept. (Month) 1968

AT/PASSAGE FROM Palma, Mallorca TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED IN A NEST OF TWO SHIPS STARBOARD SIDE TO PIER AT THE SPANISH NAVAL STATION, PALMA MALLORCA WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED AND LEADED OUT FORE AND AFT. U.S.S. VALUE (MSO-470) MOORED OUTBOARD TO PORT THIS SHIP. RECEIVING FRESH WATER FROM THE PIER. SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET AND UNITS OF THE SPANISH NAVY. SOPA IS COMINDIV 85. 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATION. ARSONEES: NONE.

V. F. VALUDS
V.F. VALUDS, ENS, USNR

EXAMINED

W F Elwood U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE SUNDAY 1 SEPT. 19 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

0800-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, LT(JG), U.S.N.

EXAMINED:

W. F. Elwood LT U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS FIDELITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION -1A DATE MONDAY 2 SEPT. 19 64
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/~~PASSAGE~~ FROM PALMA, MALLORCA TO

POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
0800	1200	2000	2-ELECTRONIC
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REMARKS

ØØ-Ø4 MOORED IN A NEST OF TWO SHIPS STARBORRD SIDE TO THE PIER AT THE SPANISH NAVAL STATION, PALMA MALLORCA WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED AND WIRES FORE AND AFT. U.S.S. SALUTE (MSO-470) MOORED OUTBOARD TO PORT. RECEIVING FRESH WATER FROM THE PIER. SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET AND UNITS OF THE SPANISH NAVY. SOPA IS COMINEDIV 45. Ø745 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE.

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, LT(JG), U.S.N.

EXAMINED W F Elwood U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE MONDAY 2 SEPT. 19 66
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

0800-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, LT(JG), U.S.N.

EXAMINED: W. F. Elwood
U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION -1A DATE TUESDAY (Day) 3 (Date) SEPT (Month). 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ PALMA, MALLORCA ~~TO~~

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED IN A NEST OF TWO SHIPS STARBARD SIDE TO THE PIER AT THE SPANISH NAVAL STATION PALMA, MALLORCA WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED AND WIRES OUT FORE AND AFT. U.S.S. SALUTE (MSO-470) MOORED OUTBOARD TO PORT THIS SHIP. RECEIVING FRESH WATER FROM THE PIER. SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET AND UNITS OF THE SPANISH NAVY. SOPA IS COMINEDIV 88. 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE.

W. F. Woods
W. F. WOODS, LT(JG), USNR

EXAMINED W F Elwood U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD. JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABLING (MSO 479) DATE TUESDAY 3 SEPT. 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

08-24 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0916 SET SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. 0925 UNDERWAY TO SHIFT BERTHS. 0935 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO THE PIER. 0958 SECURED FROM SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. 1030 COMMENCED TAKING ON FUEL. 1130 SOPA SHIFTS TO COMMANDING OFFICER U.S.S. CHUKAWAN (AO-100). 1509 SECURED FROM FUELING AFTER TAKING ON 8,700 GALS OF DIESEL FUEL. 1546 SET SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. 1552 UNDERWAY TO SHIFT BERTHS. 1601 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO PIER. 1615 SECURED FROM SPECIAL SEA DETAIL.

V.H. Vaughn
V.H. VAUGHN, LT(JG), USNR

EXAMINED: W F Elwood Jr
U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS Ability (USO -97) ZONE DESCRIPTION -1A DATE Wednesday 4 Sept. 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ Palma, Mallorca ~~TO~~

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L _____	BY	
λ _____	BY	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L _____	BY	
λ _____	BY	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED IN A NEST OF TWO SHIPS STARBOARD SIDE TO THE PIER AT THE SPANISH NAVAL STATION PALMA, MALLORCA WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED AND WIRES OUT FORE AND AFT. U.S.S. SALUTE (USO 470) MOORED OUTBOARD TO PORT THIS SHIP. RECEIVED FRESH WATER FROM THE PIER. SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET AND UNITS OF THE SPANISH NAVY. SOPA IS COMMANDING OFFICER, U.S.S. CHUKAWAN (AO-100). 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE

J. H. Vancil
J. H. VANCIL, ENS, USNR

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W F Elwood Jr LT U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE WEDNIESDAY 4 SEPT. 19 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

0800-24 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1122 COMMANDING OFFICER DEPARTED SHIP FOR THREE DAYS LEAVE. EXECUTIVE OFFICER IS ACTING CAPTAIN. 1830 HELD FIRE DRILL. 1842 SECURED FROM FIRE DRILL.

C. D. Hersch
C. D. HERSCHER, LTJG USN

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NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
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0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (CMSO 519) ZONE DESCRIPTION -1A DATE THURSDAY (Day) 5 (Date) SEPTEMBER (Month) 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE~~ FROM PALMA, MALLORCA TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

ØØ-Ø8 MOORED IN A NEST OF TWO SHIPS STARBOARD SIDE TO THE PIER AT THE SPANISH NAVAL STATION, PALMA, MALLORCA, WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED AND WIRES EXTENDED FORWARD AND AFT. USS SALUTE (MSO-47Ø) IS MOORED OUTBOARD TO PORT. RECEIVING FRESH WATER FROM THE PIER. SHIP IS IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE UNITS OF MINEDIV 85 AND USS CHUKAWAN (AO-1ØØ) AND VARIOUS UNITS OF THE SPANISH NAVY AND MECHANT VESSELS. SOPA IS COMMANDING OFFICER USS CHUKAWAN (AO-1ØØ). Ø745 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS: ABSENTEES: NONE.

C. D. Herscher
C. D. HERSCHER, LTJG USN

EXAMINED W. F. Elwood U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE THURSDAY 5 SEPT. 19 66
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

0800-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, LT(JG), U.S.N.

EXAMINED: W F Elwood LT U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION -1 A DATE FRIDAY 6 SEPT. 19 66
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ PALMA, MALLORCA TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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λ		BY

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 39°19.7N		BY 3
λ 02°45.5E		BY 3

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 38°58.5N		BY 1
λ 04°02.8E		BY 1

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

ØØ-Ø4 MOORED IN A NEST OF TWO SHIPS STARBORRD SIDE TO THE PIER AT THE SPANISH NAVAL STATION, PALMA, MALLORCA WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED AND WIRES FORE AND AFT. U.S.S. SALUTE (MSO-470) MOORED OUTBOARD TO PORT THIS SHIP RECEIVING FRESH WATER FROM THE PIER. SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET AND UNITS OF THE SPANISH NAVY. SOPA IS COMMANDING OFFICER U.S.S. CHUKAWAN (AC-100). Ø745 B.R.M. MUSTERED THE ~~CREW~~ CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE.

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, LT(JG), U.S.N.

Ø8-12 MOORED AS BEFORE. Ø800 COMMENCED PREPARATIONS FOR GETTING UNDERWAY. SET MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE. Ø930 STATIONED THE SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. 1Ø1Ø COMPLETED ALL PREPARATIONS FOR GETTING UNDERWAY. DRAFT: FORWARD 10' 8", AFT 10' 6". 1Ø21 UNDERWAY FOR NAPLES, ITALY AS A UNIT OF TASK GROUP 61.9 IN COMPLIANCE WITH COMSIXTHFLT QUARTERLY OPERATIONS SCHEDULE. MANEUVERING TO CLEAR ANCHORAGE. MR. SANDS AT THE CONN. CAPTAIN AND NAVIGATOR ARE ON THE BRIDGE. 1Ø22 STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS STANDING OUT OF PALMA HARBOR. 1Ø45 SECURED THE SPECIAL SEA DETAIL, SET THE REGULAR STEAMING WATCH. C/C 168° T. C/S 13 KTS. 1Ø57 C/C 170° T, C/S 9 KTS. 1119 C/C 163° T.

R.R. Stewart
R.R. STEWART, ENS., U.S.N.R.

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U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE FRIDAY (Day) 6 (Date) ~~AUGUST~~ SEPT (Month) 19 68

REMARKS-CONTINUED

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1415 C/C Ø93°T.

W. J. Masterson
W. J. MASTERSON ENS. USNR.

16-2Ø UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

R. Lange
R. LANGE LT(JG) USNR

2Ø-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, LT(JG), U.S.N.

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NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION -1A DATE SATURDAY 7 SEPT. 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/PASSAGE FROM PALMA, MALLORCA TO NAPLES, ITALY

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 38°50.5N	BY	1
λ 06°22.5E	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 38°45.7N	BY	1
λ 06°59.0E	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 38°41.5 N	BY	3
λ 08°09.2 E	BY	3

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING IN A FORMATION ECHO WITH U.S.S. ABILITY (MSO-519) IN STATION ONE AND THE GUIDE. U.S.S. NOTABLE (MSO-460) IN STATION TWO, U.S.S. SALUTE (MSO-470) IN STATION THREE, U.S.S. RIVAL (MSO-468) IN STATION FOUR. ENROUTE FROM PALMA, MALLORCA TO NAPLES, ITALY, IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSIXFLT QUARTERLY OPERATION SCHEDULE. FORMATION COURSE 093°, FORMATION SPEED 9 kts. OTC IS COMINEDIV 85 EMBARKED THIS VESSEL. SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET.

V. H. Vaucks
V.H. VAUCKS, LT(jg), USNR

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0400 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATION. ABSENTEES: NONE.

C. D. Herschek
C.D. HERSCHEK, LTJG USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0821 C/S 7 KTS.

R.R. Stewart
R.R. STEWART, ENS, USNR

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U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE SATURDAY (Day) 7 (Date) SEPT (Month). 1968

REMARKS-CONTINUED

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1444 U.S.S. NOTABCE (MSO-460) BECAME GUIDE.

W. J. Masterson
W. J. MASTERSON, ENS, USNR.

16-20 - UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. MANEUVERING TO REMAIN ON STATION. WHEN ON STATION THE U.S.S. ABILITY WILL BE 500 YARDS AHEAD OF U.S.S. NOTABLE (MSO-460) WITH HER BEARING 270°T. 1835 CHANGED BASE COURSE TO 084°T.

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, LT(JG), USNR

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2103 GUIDE SHIFTS TO U.S.S. Ability (MSO-519). BASE COURSE 088°, BASE SPEED 9 kts

V. H. Sands
V. H. SANDS, LTJG, USNR

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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABLE (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION -1A DATE SUNDAY (Day) 8 (Date) SEPT (Month). 19 68

AT/PASSAGE FROM PALMA, MALLORCA TO NAPLES, ITALY

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 39°07.6N	BY	2
λ 10°14.8E	BY	2

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 39°20.5N	BY	1
λ 10°58.9E	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 40°00.0N	BY	1
λ 12°20.0E	BY	1

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

ØØ-Ø4 STEAMING IN A COLLUMN OPEN ORDER FORMATION IN COMPANY WITH THE REST OF MINE DIVISION 85. THIS SHIP IS THE GUIDE IN STATION NUMBER ONE. USS NOTABLE (MSO-469) IS IN STATION NUMBER TWO, USS SALUTE (MSO-470) IS IN STATION THREE AND USS RIVAL (MSO-468) IS IN STATION FOUR. PRESENTLY ENROUTE TO NAPLES, ITALY FROM PALMA, MALLORCA IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSIXFLT QUARTERLY OPERATIONS SCHEDULE. OTC IS COMINEDIV 85 EMBARKED THIS VESSEL. SHIP IS IN CONDITION WATCH FOUR WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. BASE COURSE IS Ø88, BASE SPEED IS 8KTS. STANDARD DISTANCE IS 5ØØ YARDS.

C. D. Herscher
C. D. HERSCHER, LTJG USN

Ø4-Ø8 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. ØØ41 CHANGED BASE COURSE Ø61°T, BASE SPEED 9.5 KNOTS.

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, LT(JG), U.S.N.

Ø8-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. Ø741 C/C Ø61°T, C/S 9.5 KNOTS.

R.R. Stewart
R.R. STEWART, ENS, USNR

EXAMINED W. F. Elwood Jr
U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO 519) DATE SUNDAY 8 SEPT. 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1230 U.S.S. RIVAL (MSO-468) IN STATION FOUR.

W. J. Masterson
W. J. MASTERSON, ENS. USNR.

16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

J. K. Lange
J. K. LANGE, LTJG USNR

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. C/C 064° T.

R.R. Stewart
R.R. STEWART, ENS, USNR

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0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION -1A DATE MONDAY (Day) 9 (Date) SEPT. (Month) 19 68

AT/PASSAGE FROM PALMA, MALLORCA TO NAPLES, ITALY

POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
0800	1200	2000	2-ELECTRONIC
L 40°46.0N BY 3	L ____ BY ____	L ____ BY ____	3-VISUAL
λ 14°16.5E BY 3	λ ____ BY ____	λ ____ BY ____	4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING IN A FORMATION ECHO WITH U.S.S. ABILITY B.R.M. (MSO-519) IN STATION ONE AS ~~GUI~~ GUIDE, U.S.S. NOTABLE (MSO-460) IN STATION TWO U.S.S. SALUTE (MSO-470) IN STATION THREE, U.S.S. RIVAL (MSO-468) IN STATION FOUR ENROUTE FROM PALMA, MALLORCA TO NAPLES ITALY IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSIXFLT QUARTERLY OPERATIONS SCHEDULE, FORMATION COURSE 064 OT SPEED 9.5 KNOTS, SOPA AND OTC IS COMINEDIV AS EMBARKED THIS VESSEL. CONDITION OF READINESS FOUR AND MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. 0120 CHANGED BASE COURSE TO 074°T. 0127 CHANGED BASE COURSE TO 064°T.

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, LT(JG), U.S.N.

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE

V.H. Sands
V.H. SANDS, ENS, USNR

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0735 SET CLOCKS AHEAD 1 HOUR TO CONFORM WITH -2 ZONE TIME. 0856 C/C 000°T, C/S 1 KNOT 0939 C/C 030°T. 0942 STATIONED SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. MR SANDS AT THE CONN, CAPTAIN AND NAVIGATOR ON THE BRIDGE. 0946 COMMENCED STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS CONFORMING TO NAPLES HARBOR. 0950 PILOT A. CUOZZO CAME ABOARD 1001 CAPTAIN WAS THE CONN, MANEUVERING TO GO ALONGSIDE THE PIER. 1009 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO USS TALLAHATCHE COUNTY (ABV-2), WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. 1029 SECURED FROM SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. SHIPS PRESENT: USS EVERGLADES (AD-24), USS TALLAHATCHE COUNTY, USS NOTABLE (MSO-460), USS SALUTE (MSO-470), USS RIVAL (MSO-468), AND USS RUCHAMKIN (APD-89). SOPA IS COMFAIRMED.

R.R. Stewart
R.R. STEWART, ENS. USNR

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NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE MONDAY 9 SEP. 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

12-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

R.R. Stewart
R.R. STEWART, ENS, USNR

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NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-319) ZONE DESCRIPTION -2B DATE TUESDAY (Day) 10 (Date) SEP (Month), 19 68

AT/PASSAGE FROM NAPLES, ITALY TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

~~00~~-08 MOORED IN A NEST OF SIX SHIPS STARBOARD SIDE TO THE USS TALLA HATCHE COUNTY (ABU-2), PORT SIDE TO USS SALUTE (MSO-470), WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED AND WIRES AFT. RECEIVING FRESH WATER AND POWER FROM THE USS EVERGADES (AD-24). SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S ATLANTIC FLEET. DOA IS COMFAIRMED. 0750 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE.

R.R. Stewart
R.R. STEWART, ENS USNR

EXAMINED

W. F. Elwood

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD. JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (USO-STG) DATE TUESDAY 10 SEPT. 19 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS—CONTINUED

08-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

V. H. VANCE
V. H. VANDS, YC(SS), USNR

EXAMINED: W F Elwood Jr
U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD. JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS Ability (MSO-349) ZONE DESCRIPTION -2B DATE Wednesday 11 Sept. 19 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ Naples, Italy ~~TO~~

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L _____		BY _____
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L _____		BY _____
λ _____		BY _____

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L _____		BY _____
λ _____		BY _____

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED IN A NEST OF SIX SHIPS STARBOARD SIDE TO THE USS TALLAHATCHIE COUNTY (ABV-2) WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED AND WIRES OUT FORE AND AFT. U.S.S. SALUTE (MSO-470) MOORED OUTBOARD TO PORT THIS SHIP. RECEIVING FRESH WATER AND POWER FROM THE U.S.S. EVERGLADES (AD-24). SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COMAIRMED.
0145 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE
V.H. Vaucks
V.H. VANDS, HC(S), USNR

EXAMINED W F Elwood Lt U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE WEDNESDAY 11 SEPT. 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

08-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

W. J. Masterson
W.B. MASTERSON, ENS. USNR.

EXAMINED: W. F. Elwood
U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION -2B DATE WEDNESDAY (Day) 12 (Date) SEPT (Month). 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ NAPLES, ITALY ~~TO~~

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L		BY
λ		BY

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L		BY
λ		BY

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED IN A NEST OF SIX SHIPS STARBOARD SIDE TO THE U.S.S. TALLAHATCHE COUNTY (ABV-2) WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED AND WIRES OUT FORE AND AFT, U.S.S. SALUTE (MSO-470) MOORED OUTBOARD TO PORT THIS SHIP. RECEIVING FRESH WATER AND POWER FROM THE U.S.S. EVERGLADES (AD-24). SHIP IN ~~MATERIAL~~ CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COMFAIRMED. 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE.

W.J. Masterson
W.J. MASTERSON, ENS. USNR.

EXAMINED

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE THURSDAY 12 SEP. 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

08-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

R.R. Stewart
R.R. STEWART, ENS. USNR

EXAMINED: W F Elwood U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION -2B DATE FRIDAY (Day) 13 (Date) SEPT. (Month), 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE~~ FROM NAPLES, ITALY ~~TO~~

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

ØØ-Ø8 MOORED IN A NEST OF SIX SHIPS STARBOARD SIDE TO THE USS TALLAHATCHIE COUNTY (ABV-2) WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED AND WIRES OUT FORE AND AFT. USS SALUTE (MSO-47Ø) MOORED OUTBOARD TO PORT THIS SHIP. RECEIVING FRESH WATER AND POWER FROM THE USS EVERGLADES (AD-24). SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COMFAIRMED. Ø745 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ~~ABSENTEES~~: NONE.

R.P. Stewart
R.P. STEWART, ENS, USNR

EXAMINED W F Elwood U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD. JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILENE (DD-526) DATE FRIDAY (Day) / 13 (Date) SEPT. (Month) 1968

REMARKS-CONTINUED

08-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

J. H. Sands
J. H. SANDS, LT(SG), USNR

EXAMINED:

W. F. Elwood
U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS Abilene (DLG-13) ZONE DESCRIPTION -2B DATE SATURDAY 14 SEPT. 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/~~PASSAGE~~ FROM NAPLES, ITALY ~~TO~~

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED IN A NEST OF SIX SHIPS STARBOARD SIDE TO THE U.S.S. TALLAHATCHIE COUNTY (ABU-2) WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. U.S.S. SALUTE (MSO 470) MOORED OUTBOARD TO PORT THIS SHIP. RECEIVING FRESH WATER AND POWER FROM U.S.S. EVERGLADES (AD-24). SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COMFAIRMED). 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE

W. F. Woods
W. F. WOODS, LT(JG), USNR

EXAMINED

W. F. Elwood U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD. JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-579) DATE SATURDAY ~~15 SEPT~~ 14 SEPT (COM.) 19 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

08-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

W. J. Masterson
W. J. MASTERSON, ENS. USNR.

EXAMINED: U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD. JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION -2B DATE SUNDAY (Day) 15 (Date) SEPT (Month). 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE~~ FROM NAPLES ITALY ~~TO~~

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED IN A NEST OF SIX SHIPS STARBOARD SIDE TO THE U.S.S. TALLAHATCHIE COUNTY (ABV-2) WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. U.S.S. SALUTE (MSO-470) MOORED OUTBOARD TO PORT THIS SHIP. RECEIVING FRESH WATER AND POWER FROM U.S.S. EVERGLADES (AD-24). SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COMFAIRMED. 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATION. ABSENTEES: NONE.

W. J. Masterson
W. J. MASTERSON, ENS. USNR

EXAMINED W F Elwood U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE SUNDAY 15 SEP. 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

08-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

R.R. Stewart
R.R. STEWART, ENS, USNR

EXAMINED: W F Elwood
U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION -2B DATE MONDAY (Day) 16 (Date) SEP (Month). 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE~~ FROM NAPLES, ITALY ~~TO~~

POSITION ZONE TIME 0800	POSITION ZONE TIME 1200	POSITION ZONE TIME 2000	LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL 2-ELECTRONIC 3-VISUAL 4-D. R.
L _____ BY _____	L _____ BY _____	L _____ BY _____	
λ _____ BY _____	λ _____ BY _____	λ _____ BY _____	

REMARKS

ØØ-Ø8 MOORED IN A NEST OF SIX SHIPS STARBOARD SIDE TO THE USS TALLAHATCHIE COUNTY (ABU-2) WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. USS SALUTE (MSO-470) MOORED OUT BOARD TO PORT THIS SHIP RECEIVING FRESH WATER AND POWER FROM USS EVERGLADES (AD-24). SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COSCOM FARMED. Ø745 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. AB ~~SCUTTLES~~: NONE.

R.P. Stewart
R.R. STEWART, ENS, USNR

EXAMINED W F Elwood U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS Ability (MSO-979) DATE Monday 16 Sept. 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

08-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

V. F. Woods
V. F. WOODS, LT(jg), USNR

EXAMINED:

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS Ability (MSO-59) ZONE DESCRIPTION -2B DATE TUESDAY (Day) 17 (Date) SEPT. (Month) 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE~~ FROM NAPLES, ITALY TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED IN A NEST OF SIX SHIPS STARBOARD SIDE TO THE U.S.S. TALLAHATCHIE COUNTY (AGP-2) WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. U.S.S. SALUDA (MSO-470) MOORED OUTBOARD TO PORT THIS SHIP. RECEIVING FRESH WATER AND POWER FROM U.S.S. EVERGLADES (AD-24). SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COSCOMFAIRMED. 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE

V.H.F. RADIO
V.H.F. RADIO, AN/GRC(S), USNR

EXAMINED

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE TUESDAY (Day) 17 (Date) SEPT. (Month) 1968

REMARKS-CONTINUED

08-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

W.S. MASTERSON, ENS, USNR.

EXAMINED:

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION -2B DATE WEDNESDAY 18 SEPT. 19 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ NAPLES, ITALY ~~TO~~

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L _____	BY _____	
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED IN A NEST OF SIX SHIPS STARBOARD SIDE TO THE U.S.S. TALLAHATCHE COUNTY (ABY-2) WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. U.S.S. SALUTE (MSO-470) MOORED OUTBOARD TO PORT THIS SHIP. RECEIVING FRESH WATER AND POWER FROM U.S.S. EVERGLADES (AD-24). SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COMFAIR MED. 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE.

W. J. Masterson
W. J. MASTERSON, ENS. USNR

EXAMINED

W. F. Elwood
U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABLE (MSO-519) DATE WEDNESDAY 18 SEP. 19 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

08-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

R.R. Stewart
R.R. STEWART, ENS, USNR

EXAMINED: W. F. Elwood Jr.

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION -2B DATE TUESDAY 19 SEP. 19 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/~~PASSAGE~~ FROM NAPLES, ITALY TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L		BY
λ		BY

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L		BY
λ		BY

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED IN A NEST OF SIX SHIPS STARBOARD SIDE TO THE USS TALLAHATCHIE COUNTY (ABV-2) WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. USS SALUTE (MSO-470) MOORED OUTBOARD TO PORT SIDE INLE SHIP. RECEIVING FRESH WATER AND POWER FROM USS EVERGLADES (AD-24). SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COMFAIRMED. 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE.

RR Stewart
R.R. STEWART, ENS, USNR

EXAMINED W. F. Elwood U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD. JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILENE (DD-797) DATE THURSDAY 15 SEPT. 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

08-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

Lt. Hancks
Lt. USNR, (HC), USNR

EXAMINED: W F Elwood

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION -2 DATE FRIDAY (Day) 20 (Date) SEPT. (Month) 1968

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ NAPLES, ITALY ~~TO~~

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
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L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED IN A NEST OF SIX SHIPS STARBOARD SIDE TO THE U.S.S. TALLAHATCHIE COUNTY (AGU-2) WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. U.S.S. SALUTE (MSO-470) MOORED OUTBOARD TO PORT THIS SHIP. RECEIVING FRESH WATER AND POWER FROM U.S.S. EVERGLADES (AD-24). SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS (COMFAIRMED). 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE

V-4, Spuds
V-4, YAHOS, H-43, USAF

EXAMINED

W. F. Elwood U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE FRIDAY (Day) 20 (Date) SEPT. (Month) 19 68

REMARKS-CONTINUED

08-24. MOORED AS BEFORE.

W. J. Masterson

W. J. MASTERSON, ENS. USNR.

EXAMINED:

W F Elwood

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD. JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABLE (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION -2B DATE SATURDAY 21 SEPT (Day) (Date) (Month). 19 68

AT/PASSAGE FROM NAPLES, ITALY TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
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λ		BY

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L		BY
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED IN A NEST OF SIX SHIPS STARBOARD SIDE TO THE USS TALL ANATCHIE COUNTY (ABV-2) WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. USS SALUTE (MSO-470) MOORED OUTBOARD TO PORT THIS SHIP. RECEIVING FRESH WATER AND POWER FROM USS EVERGLADES (AD-24) SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COMFAIRMED. 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATION. ABSENTEES: NONE.

W. B. Masterson

W. B. MASTERSON, ENS. USNR.

EXAMINED

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE SATURDAY 21 SEPT. 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

08-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

C.D. Herscher

C. D. HERSCHER, LTJG USN

EXAMINED: W F Elwood CT U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION -2B DATE SUNDAY 22 SEPT (Day) (Date) (Month). 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ NAPLES, ITALY ~~TO~~

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L		BY
λ		BY

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L		BY
λ		BY

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L		BY
λ		BY

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

ØØ-Ø8 MOORED IN A NEST OF SIX SHIPS STARBOARD SIDE TO USS TALLAHATCHE COUNTY (CABV-2) WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. USS SALUTE (MSO-47Ø) MOORED OUTBOARD TO PORT, USS RIVAL (MSO-468) IS MOORED FORWARD STARBOARD SIDE TO USS TALLAHATCHE COUNTY, USS NOTABLE (MSO-466) IS MOORED OUTBOARD RIVAL TO PORT, USS TALLAHATCHE COUNTY IS MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO USS EVERGLADES (AD-24). RECEIVING FRESH WATER AND POWER FROM EVERGLADES. SHIP IS IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. SOPA IS COMFAIRMED. Ø74Ø MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATION. ABSENTEES: NONE.

C. D. Herschler

C. D. HERSCHLER, LTJG USN

EXAMINED

W F Elwood Jr

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE SUNDAY 22 SEPT. 19 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

08-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

R.R. Stewart
R.R. STEWART, ENS, USNR

EXAMINED:

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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W. F. ELWOOD. JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-5Ø9) ZONE DESCRIPTION ~~-2B~~ -1A DATE MONDAY (Day) 23 (Date) SEP (Month) . 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE~~ FROM NAPLES, ITALY TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L		BY
λ		BY

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 40°37.0N		BY 3
λ 14°09.5E		BY 3

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 39°36.3N		BY 3
λ 14°46.8E		BY 3

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED IN A NEST OF SIX SHIPS STARBOARD SIDE TO THE USS TALLAHATCHIE COUNTY (ABV-2) WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. WIRES OUT FORE AND AFT. USS SALUTE (MSO-470) MOORED OUTBOARD TO PORT THIS SHIP. RECEIVING FRESH WATER AND POWER FROM USS BURROUGHS (AD-24). SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COMFAIRMED. 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE.

R.P. Stewart
R.P. STEWART, ENS. USNR

Ø8-12 MOORED AS BEFORE. Ø953 STATIONED THE SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. COMMENCED PREPARATIONS FOR GETTING UNDERWAY. 1ØØØ DRAFT FORWARD 10'10", AFT 11'Ø". 1Ø07 USS SALUTE (MSO 470) UNDERWAY FROM PORT SIDE. CAPTAIN AND NAVIGATOR ARE ON THE BRIDGE. 1Ø15 UNDERWAY IN ACCORDANCE WITH CTF 67 OP-ORDER 1Ø4-68. COMMENCED STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS WHILE STANDING OUT OF NAPLES HARBOR. 1Ø24 SECURED THE SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. C/C 2Ø5, C/S 8 KTS. FORMED A COLLUMN FORMATION WITH THIS SHIP AS GUIDE IN STATION ONE USS RIVAL IS IN STATION TWO 500 YDS ASTERN. OTC CDR IS ~~CTG~~ CTU 67.7.1 EMBARKED THIS VESSEL.

C.D. Herscher
C.D. HERSCHER, LTJG USN

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U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE MONDAY 23 SEP (Day) (Date) (Month) 19 68

REMARKS-CONTINUED

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1033 C/C 151° T.

R.R. Stewart
R.R. STEWART, ENS, USNR

16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

C.D. Herscher
C.D. HERSCHER, LTJG USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2000 CHANGED BASE SPEED TO 7.5 KNOTS.

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, LT(JG), U.S.N.

EXAMINED: W F Elwood LT U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS Ability (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION -1A DATE Tuesday (Day) 24 (Date) Sept. (Month) 19 68

~~AT~~/PASSAGE FROM Naples, Italy TO Kithira Island

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 38°17.2N	BY	3
λ 15°41.6E	BY	3

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 37°38.5N	BY	3
λ 15°46.0E	BY	3

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 37°14.3N	BY	1
λ 17°24.8E	BY	1

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING IN A FORMATION ONE WITH U.S.S. ABILITY (MSO-519) IN STATION ONE AND THE GUIDE. U.S.S. RIVA (MSO-468) IN STATION TWO 500 YDRDS ASTERN THIS SHIP. EnROUTE FROM NAPLES, ITALY TO KITHIRA IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSIXFLT QUARTERLY OPERATION SCHEDULE. FORMATION COURSE 151°, FORMATION SPEED 7.5 kts. OTC COMINEDIV 85 EMBARKED THIS VESSEL. SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MASTER AT CONDITION YOKE SET. 0053 C/C 130°

W. H. Sands
LT. W. H. SANDS, USCG, USNR

Ø4-Ø8 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. Ø52Ø C/C 180° PGC. Ø539 C/C 177° PGC Ø717 DETACHED FROM FORMATION IN ORDER TO STEAM INDEPENDANTLY THROUGH THE STAITS OF MESSINA. C/S 11 KTS. Ø72Ø C/C 175°, C/S 11.5 KTS. Ø754 C/C 180° PGC.

C. D. Hersche
C. D. HERSCHER, LTJG USN

Ø8-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0805 C/C 240° T. Ø813 C/C 241° T. Ø814 C/C 242° T. Ø825 C/C 200° T. 0828 C/C 190° T. Ø842 C/S 3 KNOTS Ø843 C/C 220° T C/S 12 KNOTS. Ø845 C/C 185° T. Ø9Ø9 C/S 13 KNOTS. 1055 C/C 148° T. 1059 C/C 115° T. 11Ø4 C/C 140° T. 11Ø6 C/C 160° T 1113 C/C 148° T C/S 11 KNOTS. 1121 C/S 12 KNOTS. 1137 C/S 10 KNOTS.

W. J. Masterson
W. J. MASTERSON ENS. USNR.

EXAMINED

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE TUESDAY 24 SEPT. 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS—CONTINUED

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1456 C/S 11 KNOTS. 1525 C/S 10 KNOTS. 1556 COMMENCED STEERING CASUALTY DRILL. 1607 SECURED FROM STEERING CASUALTY DRILL.

R.R. Stewart
R.R. STEWART, EWS, USNR

16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

R. Lange
R.E. LANGE LTJG USNR

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2016 C/S 13 kts. 2045 C/S 9.5 kts 2111 C/S 11 kts.

V.H. Sands
V.H. SANDS, YN(S), USNR

EXAMINED: W F Elwood
U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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W. F. ELWOOD. JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO 519) ZONE DESCRIPTION -1A DATE WEDNESDAY (Day) 25 (Date) SEPT (Month), 19 68

~~AT~~/PASSAGE FROM NAPLES ITALY TO KITHRA ISLAND

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 36°29.5N	BY	1
λ 20°06.0E	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 36°16.0N	BY	1
λ 20°40.0E	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 36°08.1N	BY	1
λ 21°41.5E	BY	1

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

ØØ-Ø4 STEAMING INDEPENDANTLY AS PART OF T.U. 67.7.1 ENROUTE TO KITHRA ISLAND ANCHORAGE FROM NAPLES, ITALY IN ACCORDANCE WITH CTF 67 OP-ORDER 104-68, TU.67.7.1 COMPRISED OF THIS SHIP AND USS RIVAL (MSO-468) STEAMING 10 MILES OF PORT BEAM, BASE COURSE IS 108°PGC, BASE SPEED IS 11 KTS. SHIP IS IN CONDITION WATCH FOUR WITH MATERIAL # CONDITION YOKE SET. OTC IS ETU 67.7.1 EMBARKED THIS VESSEL. ØØ49 C/S 6KTS. IN ORDER TO MAKE BATHYTHERMOGRAPH OBSERVATIONS. ØØ58 C/S 11 KTS. COMPLETED OBSERVATIONS.

C.D. Herscher
C.D. HERSCHER, LTJG USN

Ø4-Ø8 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. Ø654 COMMENCED BATHY-THERMOGRAPH OBSERVATIONS. Ø70R COMPLETED BATHY-THERMOGRAPH OBSERVATION.

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, LT(JG), U.S.N.

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0917 C/S 10.5 KNOTS. Ø92Ø COMMENCED ENGINEERING CASUALTY DRILLS. 0937 C/C 1ØØ°. 0949 C/C 1Ø8°. Ø952 C/S 11 KNOTS. 1ØØØ COMMENCED SMALL ARMS DRILL. 1Ø2Ø SECURED SMALL ARMS DRILL. SECURED ENGINEERING CASUALTY DRILLS. 1032 C/S 8 KNOTS.

W.J. Masterson
W.J. MASTERSON, ENS. USNR.

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W. F. ELWOOD. JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE WEDNESDAY 25 SEP. 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1247 C/S 3 KNOTS. 1256 C/S 2.5 KNOTS. 1259 MOTOR WHALE BOAT CAME ALONGSIDE PORT QUARTER. LT CMDR A.H. SPRUELL ABOARD. 1308 COMMENCED BATHYTHERMOGRAPH DROP. 1314 SECURED BATHYTHERMOGRAPH DROP. 1330 COMMENCED ENGINEERING CASUALTY DRILLS. 1347 COMMENCED GUNNERY EXERCISES. 1407 SECURED FROM GUNNERY EXERCISES. 1430 C/S 7 KNOTS, C/C 100°T. SECURED FROM ENGINEERING CASUALTY DRILLS. MOTOR WHALE BOAT ALONGSIDE PORT QUARTER. LT CMDR A.H. SPRUELL AND LTJG J.K. LANGE HAVE LEFT THE SHIP. 1432 COMMENCED GUNNERY EXERCISES. 1502 SECURED FROM GUNNERY EXERCISES.

R.R. Stewart
R.R. STEWART, ENS. USNR

16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1901 C/S 6 KTS.

J.H. Ducts
J.H. Ducts, LT(jg), USNR

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

C.D. Hersher
C.D. HERSCHER, LTJG USN

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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION -1A DATE THURSDAY 26 SEPT. 19 64
(Day) (Date) (Month)

~~AT~~/PASSAGE FROM NAPLES, ITALY TO KITHIRA ISLAND

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 35°58.5N	BY	3
λ 22°50.7E	BY	3

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 36°00.7N	BY	3
λ 22°51.2E	BY	3

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 36°00.7N	BY	3
λ 22° 51.0E	BY	3

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY AS PART OF T.U. 67.7.1 ENROUTE TO KITHIRA ISLAND ANCHORAGE AREA FROM NAPLES ITALY IN ACCORDANCE WITH C.T.F. 67 OPERATION ORDER 104-64. T.U. 67.7.1 COMPRISED OF THIS SHIP AND U.S.S. RIVAL (MSO-468) STEAMING FIVES MILES ASTERN. BASE COURSE IS 100° P.G.C., BASE SPEED IS 6 KNOTS. SHIP IS IN CONDITION WATCH FOUR WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. O.T.C. IS CTU 67.7.1 EMBARKED THIS VESSEL. 0000 SET CLOCKS AHEAD 1 HOUR TO CONFORM WITH -2 ZONE TIME. 0215 COMMENCED BATHYTHERMOGRAPH OBSERVATION. 0230 SECURED FROM BATHYTHERMOGRAPH OBSERVATION.

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, LT(JG), USN.

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

W.H. Sands
W.H. SANDS, LT(SC), USNR

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0820 C/C 355°T. IDENTIFIED U.S.S.R. DLC 336 AT ANCHOR. 0826 C/C 090° 0832 C/C 160°T. 0835 C/C 180°T. 0836 C/C 170°T. 0845 SET ANCHOR DETAIL. 0847 C/S 4 KNOTS C/C 350°T. 0855 C/S 2 KNOTS. C/C 000°. 0859 C/S 3 KNOTS C/C 010°T. 0902 C/C 022° 0903 C/C 015° 0904 C/S 3.5 KNOTS. C/C 020°T. 0908 C/S 0 KNOTS. 0909 ANCHOR LET GO. 0911 C/S 2 KNOTS. 0915 C/S 0 KNOTS ANCHORED OFF KITHIRA ISLAND IN 43 FATHOMS OF WATER, MUD BOTTOM WITH 100 FATHOMS OF CHAIN TO THE PORT ANCHOR ON THE FOLLOWING ANCHORAGE BEARINGS AVGO ISLAND 056°T., 8.6 MILES, ANDIKITHIRA ISLAND 21.3 MILES, PORI ISLAND 19.2 MILES. SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FOUR WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. 0925 COMMENCED 1-MIKE DRILLS. 0937 COMMENCED ENGINEERING CASUALTY DRILLS.

W.J. Masterson
W.J. MASTERSON, ENS. USNR

EXAMINED

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (AMSO-519) DATE THURSDAY 26 SEPT. 19 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

12-16 ANCHORED AS BEFORE.

R.R. Stewart
R.R. STEWART, ENS, USNR

16-20 ANCHORED AS BEFORE.

C.D. Herscher
C.D. HERSCHER, LTJG USN

20-24 ANCHORED AS BEFORE.

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, LT(JG), U.S.N.

EXAMINED: W F Elwood LT U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS Ability (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION -2B DATE FRIDAY (Day) 27 (Date) SEPT. (Month) 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ KITHIRA ISLAND TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 36°00.7N	BY	3
λ 22°-51.0E	BY	3

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 35°57.7N	BY	3
λ 22°-54.1E	BY	3

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L	BY	
λ	BY	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 ANCHORED OFF KITHIRA ISLAND, IN 43 FATHOMS OF WATER, MUD BOTTOM, WITH 100 FATHOMS OF CHAIN TO THE PORT ANCHOR ON THE FOLLOWING ANCHORAGE BEARINGS: AVGO ISLAND 055, 8.6 MILES, ANDIKITHIRA ISLAND 21.3 MILES, PORI ISLAND 19.2 MILES. SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FOUR WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET.

W. H. Sands
W. H. SANDS, LT(JG), USNR

04-08 ANCHORED AS BEFORE.

W. J. Masterson
W. J. MASTERSON, ENS. USNR

08-12 ANCHORED AS BEFORE. COMMENCED PREPARATIONS FOR GETTING UNDERWAY. 0813 STATIONED THE SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. 0823 COMPLETED ALL PREPARATIONS FOR GETTING UNDERWAY. 0830 UNDERWAY FOR SEA AS A UNIT OF TASK GROUP 67.7 IN ACCORDANCE WITH CTF 67 OPERATION ORDER 104-68. MANEUVERING TO CLEAR THE ANCHORAGE. MR. HERSCHER AT THE CONN, CAPTAIN AND NAVIGATOR ON THE BRIDGE. STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS STANDING OUT OF ANCHORAGE. 0843 SECURED THE SPECIAL SEA DETAIL, SET THE REGULAR STEAMING WATCH. 0845 SOUNDED I-MIKE 0859 C/S 5.5 KNOTS, C/C 100°T. COMMENCED STREAMING MOORED MINESWEEPING GEAR TO PORT. 0910 COMMENCED STREAMING MOORED MINESWEEPING GEAR TO STARBOARD. 0914 PORT GEAR STOPPED OFF ON DECK. 0946 C/S 6 KNOTS. 0950 C/S 8.5 KNOTS. STARBOARD GEAR STOPPED OFF ON DECK. 0959 CAPTAIN HAS THE CONN. STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS WHILE EXERCISING MANEUVERABILITY. 1033 COMMENCED RECOVERY. 1035 DEPRESSOR CLEAR OF WATER. 1043 MR. HERSCHER HAS THE CONN. 1047 DEPRESSOR ON DECK. 1025 PORT SHAFT STOPPED. PORT GEAR ON DECK. 1101 STARBOARD SHAFT STOPPED. 1111 ALL GEAR CLEAR OF THE WATER. 1113 C/C 303°T. 1115 C/S 3 KNOTS. SECURED FROM I-MIKE, SET THE REGULAR STEAMING WATCH.

R.R. Stewart
R.R. STEWART, ENS, USNR

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NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE FRIDAY 27 SEPTEMBER (Day) (Date) (Month) 19 68

REMARKS-CONTINUED

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE, STEERING VARIOUS COORSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS WHILE MANUEVERING TO ANCHORAGE. 1339 ANCHORED OFF KITHRA ISLAND IN 42 FATHOMS OF WATER WITH 1ØØ FATHOMS OF CHAIN TO THE STARBOARD ANCHOR, MUD BOTTOM, ON THE FOLLOWING ANCHOR BEARINGS; AUGO ISLAND Ø56.5° AT 8.6 MILES, PORI ISLAND 19.2 MILES AND ANDIKITHRA ISLAND AT 21.2 MILES. 1350 SECURED THE ANCHOR DETAIL, COMMENCED ANCHOR WATCH.

C. M. Herscher
C. M. HERSCHER, LTJG USN

16-20 ANCHORED AS BEFORE.

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, LT(JG), U.S.N.

20-24 ANCHORED AS BEFORE.

J.H. Sands
J.H. SANDS, (+45), USNR

EXAMINED: W F Elwood Jr
U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION -2B DATE SATURDAY (Day) 28 (Date) SEPT (Month). 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ KITHIRA ISLAND ~~TO~~

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L		BY
λ		BY

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 35°52.7N		BY 3
λ 22°54.6E		BY 3

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L		BY
λ		BY

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 ANCHORED OFF KITHIRA ISLAND, IN 42 FATHOMS OF WATER, MUD BOTTOM, WITH 100 FATHOMS OF CHAIN TO THE STARBOARD ANCHOR ON THE FOLLOWING ANCHORAGE BEARINGS AVGO ISLAND Ø55; 8.7 miles, ANDIKITHIRA ISLAND 21.2 MILES, PORI ISLAND 19.2 MILES. SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FOUR WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET.

W. J. Masterson
W. J. MASTERSON, ENS. USNR.

04-08 ANCHORED AS BEFORE.

R.R. Stewart
R.R. STEWART, ENS. USNR

Ø8-12 ANCHORED AS BEFORE. Ø819 STATIONED THE SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. Ø821 COMMENCED HEAVING IN ON ANCHOR. CAPTAIN AND NAVIGATOR ARE ON THE BRIDGE. Ø829 ANCHOR IS AWEIGH. UNDERWAY IN ACCORDANCE COMINEDIV QUARTERLY OP-SCHEDULE. Ø841 SECURED THE SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. C/C ØØØ, C/S 6.5 KTS. Ø848 C/C 180°. Ø852 STATIONED THE SPECIAL MINESWEEPING DETAIL IN ORDER TO STREAM INFLUENCE GEAR. COMMENCE STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS WHILE STREAMING GEAR. Ø92Ø LIT OFF MAGNETIC GENERATOR Ø957 ALL GEAR STOPPED OFF ON DECK. 1Ø4Ø COMMENCED PULSING BOTH ACCOUSTIC AND MAGNETIC MINESWEEP GENERATORS. 1Ø55 SECURED MAGNETIC AND ACCOUSTIC GENERATOR. 1111 COMMENCED RECOVERING GEAR. 1136 PARTED A CL-SECTION, CONTINUING TO RECOVER GEAR.

C. D. Hersche
C. D. HERSCHER, LTJG USN

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U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE SATURDAY 24 SEPT. 19 66
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1203 DUMPED THE PORT CLUTCH. 1204 PORT SHAFT DEAD IN THE WATER. 1210 MAGNETIC PULSING CABLE CLEAR OF THE WATER. 1215 ACOUSTIC DEVICE IN TO SHORT STAY. 1235 RIG GEAR CLEAR OF THE WATER AND ON DECK, FILL THE PORT CLUTCH. 1236 SECURED FROM CONDITION I-MIKE, SET THE REGULAR STEAMING WATCH, SECTION II. 1236 BASE COURSE 345°T, BASE SPEED 11.5 KNOTS. 1316 CHANGED SPEED TO 2.5 KNOTS. 1317 COMMENCED STEERING VARIOUS COURSES DURING A SWING SHIP EXERCISE. 1500 SECURED DEGAUSSING FOR A SWING SHIP EXERCISE. 1524 COMPLETED SWING SHIP EXERCISE, LIGHTED OFF DEGAUSSING. 1532 COMMENCED PREPARATIONS TO ANCHOR IN THE KITHIRA ISLAND ANCHORAGE AREA, SOUNDED SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL, MANEUVERING TO ANCHOR. 1535 COMPLETED ALL PREPARATIONS FOR ANCHORING. 1544 LET GO THE STARBOARD ANCHOR. 1545 ANCHORED IN KITHIRA ISLAND ANCHORAGE AREA, IN 43 FATHOMS OF WATER, MUD BOTTOM WITH 100 FATHOMS OF CHAIN TO THE STARBORRD ANCHOR ON THE FOLLOWING BEARINGS AND RANGES: AUGO, 056° 2.75 MILES; PORI, 19.2 MILES; ANDIKITHIRA, 21.25 MILES. 1551 SECURED THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL.

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, LT(JG), U.S.N.

16-20 ANCHORED AS BEFORE.

J.H. Vollucks
J.H. VOLUCKS, LT(SG), USNR

20-24 ANCHORED AS BEFORE.

W.J. Masterson
W.J. MASTERSON, ENS. USNR.

EXAMINED: [signature]
U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION -2B DATE SUNDAY (Day) 29 (Date) SEP (Month) . 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE~~ FROM KITNIRA ISLAND ~~TO~~

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 35° 58.8' N	BY	3
λ 22° 51.0' E	BY	3

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D.R.

REMARKS

00-04 ANCHORED OFF KITNIRA ISLAND, IN 42 FATHOMS OF WATER, MUD BOTTOM. WITH 100 FATHOMS OF CHAIN TO THE STARBOARD ANCHOR ON THE FOLLOWING ANCHOR BEARINGS: ANGO ISLAND 055°T, 8.6 MILES, AND KITNIRA ISLAND 21.2 MILES, PORI ISLAND 19.1 MILES. SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FOUR WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET.

R.R. Stewart

R.R. STEWART, ENS, USNR

04-08 ANCHORED AS BEFORE. Ø645 STATIONED THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL. CAPTAIN AND NAVIGATOR ARE ON THE BRIDGE. Ø655 COMMENCED HEAVING IN THE ANCHOR Ø657 ANCHOR AWIEGH, UNDERWAY IN ACCORDANCE WITH CTF 67 OP-ORDER 104-68. C/C 180°, C/S 9 KTS. Ø707 SECURED THE SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. STATIONED THE REPLENISHMENT DETAIL. STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS WHILE HOLDING LIGHTLINE TRANSFERT OF MAIL TO USS RIVAL (MSO-468) Ø721 LIGHTLINE OVER. Ø727 ALL LINES CLEAR OF SHIP. C/S 13 KTS. C/C 330. Ø756 C/C ~~330~~ CON 330, C/S 5 KTS. Ø756 COMMENCED APPROACH ON USS CHEWAUCAW (AOG-50) FOR REFUELING.

C. D. Hersche

C. D. HERSCHER, LTJG USN

Ø4-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. ØØØ5 COMMENCED REFUELING FROM U.S.S. CHEWAUCAN (AO-50). ØØ5Ø COMPLETED REFUELING FROM USS. CHEWAUCAN, RECEIVED 7914 GALLONS OF FUEL. ØØ57 SECURED THE REPLENISHMENT DETAIL. 1022 COMMENCED PREPARATIONS TO RECEIVE MOTOR WHALE BOAT FROM U.S.S. CHEWAUCAN ALONGSIDE THE PORT QUARTER. 1032 MOTOR WHALE BOAT ALONGSIDE. 1034 MOTOR WHALE BOAT UNDERWAY FROM ALONGSIDE THE SHIP'S PORT QUARTER. 1050 COMMENCED PREPARATIONS TO ANCHOR IN THE KITHIRA ANCHORAGE AREA, SOUNDED SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL. 1054 COMPLETED ALL PREPARATIONS FOR ANCHORING. 1110 LET GO THE STARBOARD ANCHOR. 1112 ANCHORED IN KITHIRA ANCHORAGE AREA, IN 42 FATHOMS OF WATER MUD BOTTOM, WITH 100 FATHOMS OF CHAIN TO THE STARBOARD ANCHOR ON THE FOLLOWING BEARINGS AND RANGES: ANGO 056.5° 8.6 MILES; AND KITHIRA, 21.3 MILES; PORI, 19.2 MILES. 1114 SECURED THE ANCHOR DETAIL.

B.R. Moffett

B.R. MOFFETT, LT (JG), U.S.N.

EXAMINED

LT U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS Ability (MSO-574) DATE Sunday 29 Sept. 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

12-16 ANCHORED AS BEFORE.

J. H. Sands
J. H. SANDS, ENS, USNR

16-20 ANCHORED AS BEFORE.

W. J. Masterson
W. J. MASTERSON, ENS. USNR.

20-24 ANCHORED AS BEFORE.

R.R. Stewart
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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION -2B DATE MONDAY (Day) 30 (Date) SEP (Month). 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ KITHIRA ISLAND ~~TO~~

POSITION ZONE TIME 0800	POSITION ZONE TIME 1200	POSITION ZONE TIME 2000	LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL 2-ELECTRONIC 3-VISUAL 4-D. R.
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λ _____ BY _____	λ 22°51.6E BY 3	λ _____ BY _____	

REMARKS

ØØ-Ø4 ANCHORED OFF KITHRA ISLAND IN 45 FATHOMS OF WATER, MUD BOTTOM, WITH 1ØØ FATHOMS OF CHAIN TO THE STARBOARD ANCHOR ON THE FOLLOWING BEARINGS AND RANGES, AVGO ISLAND Ø56°, 8.7 MILES, AND KITHRA ISLAND 21.3, AND PORI ISLAND 19.3 MILES. SHIP IS IN CONDITION WATCH FOUR WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE USS RIVAL (MSO-468) AND VARIOUS UNITS OF THE RUSSIAN NAVY. SOPA IS COMINEDIV 35 EMBARKED THIS VESSEL.

C. D. Herscher

C. D. HERSCHER, LTJG USN

Ø4-Ø8 ANCHORED AS BEFORE.

B.R. Moffett

B.R. MOFFETT, LT(JG), U.S.N.

08-12 ANCHORED AS BEFORE. 0815 SET ANCHOR DETAIL. 0819 HEAVING AROUND ON THE STARBOARD ANCHOR. 0826 UNDERWAY IN ACCORDANCE WITH CTG 67 OPERATION SCHEDULE. 0843 SET CONDITION 1-ABLE. 0902 (COMMENCED) STRENGTHS THE MAGNETIC TAIL. 0904 Q/S 4 Kts 191T MAGNETIC TAIL STOPPED OFF ON DECK. Q/S 2.5 Kts. BASE COURSE 110°

J.H. Sands

J.H. SANDS, LT(S), USNR

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REMARKS—CONTINUED

1216 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE, 1208 C/S 9 KNOTS. 1211 C/C 046°T. C/S 13 KNOTS. 1217 C/C 000°T 1218 350°T 1220 C/345°T. 1223 C/C 335°T. 1224 C/C 325°T. 1225 C/300°T. 1228 C/C 285°T. 1227 C/C 270°T. 1228 C/C 240°T. 1228 C/C 170° C/S 11 KNT. 1230 C/S 8.5 KNOTS. 1231 C/S 2.5 KNOTS. 1233 C/C 165°T. C/S 2 KNOTS. 1243 SET 1 MIKE. COMMENCED STREAMING MAG TAIL. 1403 COMMENCED PULSING MAG TAIL. 1410 SECURED PULSING MAG TAIL. 1420 STEERING VARIOUS COURSES WHILE RECOVERING MAG TAIL. C/C 070°T. 1502 SECURED 1 MIKE. 1510 C/S 6 KNOTS. 1519 C/S 9.5 KNOTS. 1543 C/C 250°T. 1546. C/C 340°T. 1547 C/C 335°T.

W. J. Masterson

W. J. MASTERSON, ENS. USNR.

16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1555 C/C 190°. 1557 C/C 195°. 1558 COMMENCED PREPARATIONS TO ANCHOR IN THE KITHIRA ISLAND ~~ANCHORAGE AREA~~. SOUNDED SPECIAL SEA DETAIL AND ANCHOR DETAIL, MANEUVERING TO ANCHOR. 1602 C/S 3 KNOTS. COMPLETED ALL PREPARATIONS FOR ANCHORING. 1617 LET GO THE STARBOARD ANCHOR. 1620 ANCHORED IN KITHIRA ISLAND ANCHORAGE AREA IN 43 FATHOMS OF WATER, MUD BOTTOM WITH 100 FATHOMS OF CHAIN TO THE STARBOARD ANCHOR ON THE FOLLOWING BEARINGS AND RANGES: ANGO ISLAND 056°T, 8.8 MILES; PORI ISLAND 19.6 MILES; AND ANDIKITHIRA ISLAND. 21.6 MILES. 1623 SECURED THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL.

R.R. Stewart

R.R. STEWART, ENS, USNR

20-24 ANCHORED AS BEFORE.

C.D. Herscher

C.D. HERSCHER, LTJG USN

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